

I endeavored to convince him that bodily strength furnished by beer could only be in proportion to the solid part of the barley dissolved in water of which the beer was composed; that there was a larger portion of flour, in a penny loaf; and that if he ate his loaf and drank his pint of water with it, he would derive more strength from it than from a pint of beer. The reasoning, however, did not prevent him from drinking his accustomed quantity of beer, and paying every Saturday night a score of four or five shillings a week for this cursed beverage; an expense from which I was wholly exempt. Thus do these poor devils continue all their lives, in a state of voluntary wretchedness and poverty."

Mr. Jefferson used to relate with much merriment, that the final signing of the Declaration of Independence was hastened by an absurdly trivial cause. Near the hall in which the debates were then held was a lively stable, from which swarms of flies came into the open windows and assailed the silk-stung heads of the honorable members. Handkerchief in hand, they lashed the flies with such vigor as they could command on a July afternoon; but the annoyance became at length so extreme as to render them impatient of delay, and they made haste to bring the momentous business to a conclusion. After such a long and severe strain upon their minds, members, seemed to have indulged in many a jocular observation as they stood around the table. Tradition has it that when John Hancock had affixed his magnificent signature to the paper he said: "There, John Bull may read my name without spoiling it." Tradition, also, never will relinquish the pleasure of repeating that when Mr. Hancock reminded the members of the necessity of hanging together, Dr. Franklin was ready with

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First—These two diseases are most abundant near the sea, and diminish as you recede from it.

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may have suggested to the portly Hamlet a "luxurious, heavy gentlemanlike" as John Adams describes him—his remark to slander Elbridge Gerry, when the hanging came he should have taken the advantage, for poor Gerry would be kicking in the air long after it was all over with himself. French critics censure Shakspeare for mingling buffoonery with scenes of the deepest interest. But here we find one of the most important assemblies ever convened, at the supreme moment of our existence, while performing the action which gives it rank among deliberative bodies, cracking jokes, and hurrying up to the table to sign, in order to get away from the flies. It is precisely that Shakspeare would have imagined the scene.—Parton's Life of Jefferson

It may be considered established that a few thousand or perhaps a few tens of thousands of years ago the temperature of northern North America suffered a remarkable reduction by which the climate of Greenland was gradually brought down as far as the Ohio river. There is ample evidence of a considerable elevation of the extreme northern portion of the continent, of the region about Hudson's Bay, a fact which

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1, through mail, 6 2 a.m. GOING WEST.
2, way mail, 6 40 a.m.
3, express, 7 11 p.m.
4, express, 7 22 a.m. GOING EAST.
5, way mail, 8 01 p.m.
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Way mail east leaves... 12 17 a.m.
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I. O. O. F.—Sippo Lodge, No. 48, corner Main and Erie streets; convocations first and third Friday evening in each month.

RELIGIOUS NOTES.
St. Timothy's, Protestant Episcopal church, corner of Front and East streets—W. H. DEAN, rector.
St. Paul's Episcopal church, corner of Mill and North streets—E. H. GLENN, pastor.

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Refreshments will be provided for the occasion, and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance, as the house is commodious and the family genial.

Rev. John Tomner will preach next Sabbath in the Presbyterian church 10:30 o'clock.
Jos. Coleman and John Mong are entitled to the thanks of all our citizens who are in the habit of walking on the north side of Main street, for the good sense and enterprise in laying down a substantial brick pavement in front of their premises.

Look at some of this years chickens, in market, and smile; broil them for dinner, try to carve them and weep; make a heavy meal out of the tender birds, and retire, and you will have passed through the first degrees of the Sons of Mahu, with all its honors.
It is curious to note how much interest those who do nothing take in watching other folks work. One day last week we saw nine men, seven boys, and five black and tan pups watching the workmen who were repairing the water pipe in front of Reed's store.

The Warren Chronicle says of Hon. L. D. Woodworth, the republican candidate for congress in this district, "He is popular and will command the united vote of the miners and working men of his district."
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The first Greeley and Brown flag in Fremont county was thrown to the breeze from a window of the jail at Warren, by one of the inmates. We suppose that this was a hint to Greeley that somebody wanted to be "bailed out."
One evening last week a new lodge of Odd Fellows was instituted at Akron, to work in the German language. A number of the brotherhood from this place were present and took part in the ceremonies.

For several days and evenings of last week a man with an electric-magnetic machine succeeded in gathering quite a number of dimes from our citizens.
Farmers in this neighborhood are busily engaged in getting in their harvest; and the weather, though warm for the workmen, has been in the highest degree favorable for getting in crops in good condition. There will be a fair yield of wheat, for though it is light on the ground, the heads are plump and well filled.

The present number of prisoners in the Ohio penitentiary is nine hundred and thirty-eight; of these one hundred and eight are serving a second term, twenty-two a third, eighteen a fourth, two a sixth, and two a seventh term, while but one is serving a fifth term.
"Old Probability"—the government weather clerk—must be a dry old rascal. He don't say a word about water these days.

Here's a new tickle the nose of him who tries to sleep late Sunday mornings, and practice landscape gardening on the scalp of the bald.
Loafers can now make themselves useful. The farmers need help.

No council proceedings appear this week. The hot weather makes the omission entirely excusable.
Soda water and ice cream are very palatable when the mercury is ranging among the nineties, but care should be taken to not indulge too freely even in these attractive little things. They have the finest flavors of these delicacies at P. Stilleman & Co., on Mill street; also, at M. Reinheimer's on corner of Main and Mill streets.

Yesterday the sudden death of two men in the coal shaft of Jacobs & Warwick, a short distance north-west of town, was one of the tragic incidents that strike community with awe. Three men were about to go down in the shaft, which is ninety feet deep, when one of the frame work gave way, and they all started on the perilous descent, but fortunately one of them caught a projection and held on, thus saving his life, but the other two fell to the bottom, and were suddenly killed. We have not heard the names of the deceased.

Yesterday the people of Bethlehem township were much interested in an election concerning a rail ad which is proposed to go through Navarre.
It is said that Horace Greeley, in conversation with a friend lately, remarked "that he was much surprised to think the defection in the Republican ranks was no greater than it appears to be at the present time." Like the man who fell off the top of the stage coach, if Horace had only known the stage hadn't tipped over, he'd never got off.

Gov. VANCE, of North Carolina, is a pretty specimen of a Greeley man. In a recent speech he showed the metal of which he is composed by remarking that he "would sooner be the meanest Ku Klux, rooking in the Penitentiary, than be one of the prosecutors or the judge who tried them." He further advised his Democratic friends that the best way to succeed in the coming election was by kicking out the Republicans.

BARSTON, the prince of humbugs, as the World calls him, is "out for Greeley." We think this is a mistake of the printer, and that it should read "is after Greeley." Barnum always has an eye to business, and if he can do no better let him capture "that old white hat," and make a fortune traveling about the country and exhibiting it at Liberal-Democratic mass meetings.

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A FORECASTER OF THE POLITICAL MILLIENIUM.—The most thorough shuffling of the political pack that this age has ever seen was exhibited at the Greeley Jubilee at Cheppauga yesterday, when the Southern members of the Democratic National Committee made a visit to Horace Greeley. There was Duke Gwin, of Sonora, arm and arm with Francis W. Bird, of Boston; General Chalmers, of Johnston's old army, hobnobbing in lcomotive with General Stephen G. Burbridge, of Kentucky; ex-Pontmaster General Reagan, of the ex-commodore in social discussion with Theodore Tilton, and the representative "old scorch" of the South shaking hands indecorously with the bloody chasm of the representative old abolition agitators of the North. Is there not something suggestive beyond the mere notion of a political dodge in all this?

Is it not, indeed, a type of that true reunion where old errors and troubles, even those ghastly ones that led to civil war, may be reviewed in a friendly manner, with confession and pardon on both sides, ready to smooth over all recurring anger? The political millennium is coming.—A. Y. Herald.
The Akron Beacon expresses doubt as to the changing of the main line of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railroad. "We have no doubt whatever but that the line will be changed, and that in a very short time. Engineers at work on the straightening have found a practicable route, made estimates of cost of construction, and are pushing matters as fast as possible. Some people are under the impression that the old line will be taken up, but such is not the case, it will remain as it is at present, and towns along the road will have the same advantages that they formerly had.—Orville Crescent.

The attempt of California to acclimatize the Cashmere goat promises success, the animal attaining a larger size and yielding a finer fleece than in its native India. There are estimated to be forty thousand Cashmires in the State, and the fleece, according to grade, is worth from twenty-five cents to \$1.25 per pound.
Last year Horace Greeley thus addressed Frank Blair: "General, I have long ago learned that principles were inconvenient, and that he who makes his own aggrandizement, his aim must wear them loosely, or put them aside altogether. I doubt that you would ever have attained your present dizzy elevation had you permitted yourself to be incumbered with them. But I am old-fashioned, and cannot change my camp or my flag with your admired facility." The admired facility may be wanting, nevertheless he has changed both his camp and flag.

The aggregate popular vote for president in 1868 was about 5,783,000. At the present time the population of voters of alien nationalities, including the colored voters, is as follows: Colored, 803,000 of whom 55,000 are in the Northern, and 56,000 in the border States. The Irish have 303,446, being strongest in New York and Pennsylvania. The Germans have about 280,000; the Welsh, 17,000; the Scandinavian, 24,420; the Swiss, 13,000.

A correspondent of the New York Commercial Advertiser giving an account of the closing exercises of Williston Seminary speaks very highly of the proficiency of the Japanese students. Americans watch these young men with a great deal of interest. Their mission to this country and to seats of learning throughout the enlightened world, means something. They are destined to exert an influence upon the old nations of the Orient in the years to come, such as few have ever imagined or dreamed of.

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At her residence in this place, on the 12th inst. Mrs. Louis Lind, aged 45 years and four months, Rev. D. C. Blood, was present and preached the funeral sermon on Sunday, at the Presbyterian church in presence of an attentive congregation, after which the body was taken to the cemetery for interment, followed by a large concourse of relatives, friends and neighbors.
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